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STATE HELPS FARMERS PROTECT THEIR LANDS

State Constabulary Men Out Looking After Hunters

TRESPASSING QUESTION

City Nimrods Claimed to Destroy Property--Game Laws Violated Also

That the state is going to aid the farmers in the protection of their lands from the inroads of hunters and trespassers is proven by the patrol of the State constabulary of the various game sections. Friday night a couple of the State constabulary, Privates C. R. Young and C. S. Alvis, from the Greensburg barracks were in Charleroi after a trip of two days through a part of Westmoreland and Washington counties. They left this morning.

Privates Young and Alvis will be out for a few days and will quickly make investigations in the vicinity of Fredericktown, Marianna and other places. They went to Fredericktown today from Charleroi. From that point they will head in the direction of Marianna, keeping a sharp watch meanwhile for evidences of hunters violating the law.

It is claimed that not only are the trespassing laws frequently violated by city Nimrods, but also and just as frequently the game laws. The two State constabulary men are on horseback and are well equipped for their work. They will return by way of Charleroi and Monessen to their barracks.

SPECIAL FEATURE COMING TO COYLE

Barney Gilmore and Dublin Dan to be Shown in Three-Reel Production

The program for the week of Nov. 11 is as follows:

Monday.	Solax
"Dublin Dan" 3 reels	
Tuesday.	Rex
Honor of the Family	Eclair
Foiled A Fortune Hunter	Bison
Hunted Down	
Wednesday.	Eclair
The Homecoming Skeleton	Powers
Border Parson	Nestor
Thursday.	Rex
Kentucky Feud	Smugglers
King, the Detective and the Imp	
Making Uncle Jealous	Eclair
Friday.	Victor
Angel of the Studio	Powers
Just a Woman	Gulch
Lady Barber of Roaring	Nestor
Saturday.	
Daughter of the Redskins, 2 reels	Bison
Joe, the Pirate	Imp

Question of The Curfew

Some Lads Don't Care Whether it Rings or Not and Cuss the Police

According to the police it makes no difference to a large proportion of the juvenile population of Charleroi whether the curfew is going to ring tonight, or whether it rang last night or the night before. The lads are numerous who find it impossible to hear the bell sounding the requiem of the day's play. Chief of Police Albright said this morning that not only would they refuse to pay any attention to the curfew but would also even go to the extreme of "cussing" the police who tried to chase them home.

MONEY TO FINISH UP NEW ROAD

Bond Issue May Not be Utilized to Begin Highways

OFFICIALS GIVE WORD

It is said by those who are keeping tab on county road building that no new contracts will be let to be met with the proceeds of the bond issue of \$100,000 now being advertised. It is expected that fully that much money will be required to complete the roads for which contracts were let last year.

In 1911 a road bond issue of \$500,000 was authorized by the grand jury and the court, and contracts for that amount were let. These contracts have not been finished and the expense for engineering, supervision, extras and alterations will run the total cost to \$600,000. All the contractors are behind with their work, and every extra day they take costs the county a large sum for engineering and supervision. No less than 21 roads are upon the waiting list and those interested in their construction had expected that some of them would be built with the proceeds of the new bond issue but they are doomed to disappointment.

Coyle Has Big Feature.
For a special feature Monday the Coyle Theatre will present "Dublin Dan, the Irish Detective," in three reels. Barney Gilmore, the eminent actor, takes the leading role in this great thrilling and sensational melodrama, which is a ten-story of crime conspiracy and punishment. "Dublin Dan" is one of the big motion picture releases of the week, and Manager Coyle was particularly fortunate in securing it at this particular time.

Boys Regular \$1.50, Specials 98c.
Sample Shoe Store. 92-11

WILL TRY TO KEEP PARTY IN ITS PLACE

Republicans Not of Opinion That Progressives Will be Able to Remove From Them Their Prestige

Plans were outlined in Philadelphia Friday to prevent the Washington party enthusiasts from depriving either the Republican or the Democratic party of representation now enjoyed on the precinct boards of registrars and to block the new party from preceding the old parties in the grouping of party columns on the official ballot. Republican and Democratic members of the legislature are expected to support legislation drafted to that end.

Under the apportionment bills which are expected to be passed at the next session of the legislature, Philadelphia will be entitled to an additional congressman and Allegheny county may get another. The representation in the state senate remains unchanged due to a constitutional provision, but there will be a loss of one member in the state house of representatives, due to the increase in

the ration following the growth of the population of the state at large.

The present legislature stands 21 Republicans, 15 Democrats and one Keystone in the Senate and 127 Republicans, 36 Democrats, 15 Washington party and nine Keystones in the House.

The argument is advanced that the Washington party is an ephemeral body formed to promote the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt, and that it may never figure again in a presidential contest. It is proposed to amend the election law to provide that no party shall be considered as entitled to a rating for position on the ballot unless it shall have been in existence at least four years and had candidates balloted for a least two presidential elections. A similar provision will be added to the law governing the recognition of parties in the appointment of personal registration officers.

PHILLIPS GROOMED FOR NATIONAL CLUB

Local Man Among Those Suggested for Managership of One of Several Major League Teams Hunting Leader

Among the prominent managers being considered by the half dozen or so big league clubs in the country needing leaders is "Bill" Phillips, of Charleroi the ex-National pitcher who has created a sensation by his wonderful success in the management of Class B and Class C league teams. Phillips has been communicated with by some of the teams—he refuses to say which—and he has given his answer.

Among the teams said to be hunting managers are Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Brooklyn and Boston in the National league and the New York Highlanders in the American. Previous to last season Cincinnati and Brooklyn sought the services of Phillips. He accepted the position of manager of Youngstown, in the Central league.

No manager or player in the country is better known than Phillips. A few years back he took hold of Wheeling in the Central league when

it was about on the rocks and from the cellar position, with practically nothing to work upon except his nerve, brought Wheeling clear to the top. After that he was engaged by East Liverpool in the Ohio-Pennsylvania league to land a winner there and from there Phillips went to Youngstown, where his success was legion.

Phillips absolutely refuses to consider the management of a team where he will not be given free rein. That is the only thing, it is declared that kept him from the management of either Boston, Cincinnati or Brooklyn. If the heads of the teams now asking for his services are willing to accede to these terms, he will consider their offers, if not he won't. At present Manager Phillips is concerned about the success of the Central league and being in that will not discuss the prospects of the bigger leagues, though keeping close tab on them.

PROTECTORS OF LAW GET INTO TROUBLE

Authorities of Inner County Points Are Accused of Wrongdoing—Appear Before Justice of the Peace

Three Washington County constables are in trouble. Constables J. J. Miller and J. W. Crumm of East Canonsburg were arrested by Constable Martin Nugent of Justice of the Peace E. C. Fulick's office in East Canonsburg Friday.

Information which charges blackmail and extortion were made by Andrew Susko, who alleges that he was arrested by one of the constables for selling liquor without a license and

that upon receipt of \$50 last November 1 Miller allowed the charge to be dropped. Susko declares that in order that he might sell liquor he was compelled to pay Crumm an average of \$5 a week for several weeks.

The Washington county grand jury on Friday returned a true bill against Constable Joseph A. Pyrmire for alleged embezzlement of funds collected in his official capacity. The case will be tried in the November term of court.

LECTURE COURSE SURE GO CLAIM THE GUARANTORS

The Citizen's Entertainment course is to be a go this year in spite of the rumors to the contrary. Tickets are being disposed of rapidly now by a committee of guarantors working in a campaign with Charles O. Frye as general. Enough have been sold now to guarantee the course. The reservation of seats will be announced when the date of the first entertainment is learned.

Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-11

BAPTISTS ENJOY EVENING OF FUN AT SILVER SOCIAL

A silver social was held by the congregation of the First Baptist church Friday evening in the church. With a good sized crowd present an interesting musical and literary program was given. The following participated: Mrs. C. C. Wright, Mrs. A. G. Lewis, Miss Grace Wilson, Marion Stanley, Dorothy Whitlatch, Ben Frye and Virginia Tussing.

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MUST UNDERGO TRIAL FOR FUNKA MURDER

Deaths Are Investigated

Coroner Heffran Reports Findings in Seventeen Fatalities in County

Coroner James T. Heffran has made his report for the month of October showing that he had investigated 17 sudden or violent deaths during the last four weeks. This is an unusually small number for the county for a month. Eight persons were killed on the railroads of Washington county, one at a street crossing, and of the remaining seven three were employees, two were trespassers and two were drunk. One trespasser on a street railway was killed and four sudden deaths were among the list. Four persons were killed in the mines, two by motor, one by a fall of slate and one by electrocution.

ELKS TO HOLD LODGE OF SORROW

Committee Secures New Yorker to Deliver Memorial Address

PROGRAM IS ARRANGED

The annual memorial services of Charleroi Lodge, No. 491, B. P. O. Elks will be held this year in the First Methodist Episcopal church, and the date will be Sunday December 1, in the afternoon. Herman J. Westbrook, of Fredonia, N. Y., is to be the speaker.

W. R. Gaut is to deliver the eulogy. During the last year there was just one death that of Exalted Ruler Sesh K. Long. Mr. Long was the only exalted ruler to have died during his term of office in the local order. The benediction will be pronounced by Rev. E. N. Duty of the First Christian church.

The local committee feels that in securing Mr. Westbrook it has been exceedingly fortunate. He is a speaker of power. Mr. Westbrook is a prominent attorney in New York state. Before taking up the work at the bar, he was the secretary to Supreme Justice Warren B. Hooker. During their stay in Charleroi Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook will be the guests of Dr. G. H. Smith.

Big Feature at the Palace.

A gripping, human interest drama has been booked for the Palace Theatre Monday. This is "The Past That Returns," in three reels, which tells the story of a good woman gone wrong and her bitter repentance when she realizes the consequences of her act. It is a powerful emotional plot of love, happiness and despair, in which the extremes of human emotion are most graphically portrayed.

George Green Indicted on Charge of Slaying German Girl

EVIDENCE COLLECTED

County Has Nothing But Circumstantial Proof to Offer in the Case

On evidence that purely circumstantial, George Green of Manifold was indicted for murder by the grand jury at Washington Friday. The crime for which Green was indicted was the killing of Celia Funka, the 18-year-old German girl, who was assaulted in a lonely spot near her home at Manifold last August and choked to death. A large number of witnesses were called and it was nearly 5 o'clock before the case was completed and a true bill returned.

No murder case in Washington county for a long time has attracted more attention than the killing of this young German girl. The evidence against Green is entirely circumstantial. He was held to await the action of the grand jury on recommendation of the coroner's jury. Green has been in jail since his arrest.

Celia Funka was on her way from her home from Washington when she was attacked, assaulted and left dead. Her body was not found until the following day.

It was not for several days that Green was suspected and then suspicion was directed towards him on account of his apparent interest in the case and seeming knowledge of many facts surrounding the death of the young girl. What may come out at the trial cannot be said. The case has been set for trial on November 20.

Three of the foreigners implicated in the killing of a fellow countryman at Daisytown, several weeks ago, during a general fight, were indicted for manslaughter. The bill against three others was ignored.

The grand jury has returned a number of true bills since it met Wednesday and ignored several. The cases are for the most part those of minor offenses.

PRESENT LOVING CUP TO ANTHONY MURPHY

Anthony Murphy who is soon to move to Finleyville to embark in business was given a send off by a number of his friends Thursday night. A loving cup was given to him and resolutions were adopted in his honor.

Charleroi Beats Monessen.
Charleroi polled more votes than Monessen their total being 1,181, while Monessen had 1,74 giving the Magic City the lead by seven votes.

The Past That Returns.
A story of a woman's hate, and gratitude with many exciting periods in her life's career, three parts, Palace Monday. 92-13

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ORDINANCE NO. 251.

An ordinance authorizing the paving, with vitrified brick, and curbing of Long Alley from First Street to Second Street and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost thereof from the owners of the real estate abutting thereon.

Whereas, It appears by the petition, and affidavit attached thereto, which has been accepted and approved by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, that two-thirds of the owners of property, representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties bounding or abutting on Long Alley from First Street to Second Street have petitioned the Burgess and Town Council to enact an ordinance directing the paving, with vitrified brick, and the curbing of the above mentioned portion of Long Alley, two-thirds of the costs and expenses of the same to be assessed upon the owners of property bounding or abutting thereon, according to Act of Assembly; therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the Burgess is hereby authorized and instructed, as required by ordinance No. 17, Sec. 5, as amended, to advertise for and receive proposals for the paving with vitrified brick, and curbing of said portion of Long Alley from First Street to Second Street in accordance with the plans and specifications of the Borough Engineer, approved by the Burgess and Town Council, and to enter into contract, in conjunction with Council, with any responsible party or parties, such being the lowest and best bidder or bidders for said paving and curbing, such party or parties to give satisfactory security to do the work in strict conformity to said plans and specifications of the said Borough Engineer, and under his direction and supervision.

Section 2. Upon the completion and approval of said paving and curbing, and the costs and expenses ascertained, the Burgess and Town Council shall assess two-thirds of the cost and expenses of the same upon the owners of the real estate bounding or abutting thereon by an equal assessment on the feet front bounding or abutting as aforesaid; said assessment to be estimated by the Borough Engineer as required by Act of Assembly, approved the 23rd day of April 1889.

Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this.....day of.....191.....

Attest:.....
Borough Clerk.
Examined and approved by me this.....day of.....A. D., 191.....
Burgess.

ORDINANCE NO. 250.

An ordinance authorizing the paving, with vitrified brick, and curbing of Long Alley from 7th Street to Eighth Street, and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the costs thereof from the owners of the real estate abutting thereon.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit attached thereto, which has been accepted and approved by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, that two-thirds of the owners of property, representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties bounding or abutting on Long Alley from Seventh Street to Eighth Street have petitioned the Burgess and Town Council to enact an ordinance directing the paving, with vitrified brick, and the curbing of the above mentioned portion of Long Alley, two-thirds of the costs and expenses of the same to be assessed upon the owners of property bounding or abutting thereon, according to Act of Assembly; therefore,

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ORDINANCE NO. 249.

An ordinance authorizing the paving, with vitrified brick, and curbing of Long Alley from Second Street to Fourth Street, and providing for the collection of two-thirds of the cost thereof from the owners of the real estate abutting thereon.

Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit attached thereto which has been accepted and approved by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, that two-thirds of the owners of property, representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties bounding or abutting on Long Alley from Second Street to Fourth Street have petitioned the Burgess and Town Council to enact an ordinance directing the paving, with vitrified brick, and the curbing of the above mentioned portion of Long Alley. Two-thirds of the costs and expenses of the same to be assessed upon the owners of property bounding or abutting thereon, according to Act of Assembly, therefore,

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Whereas, It appears by the petition and affidavit attached thereto, which has been accepted and approved by the Burgess and Town Council of the Borough of Charleroi, that two-thirds of the owners of property, representing not less than two-thirds in number of feet of the properties bounding or abutting on Peach Alley from Long Alley to Fallowfield Avenue have petitioned the Burgess and Town Council to enact an ordinance directing the paving, with vitrified brick, and the curbing of the above mentioned portion of Peach Alley two-thirds of the costs and expenses of the same to be assessed upon the owners of property bounding or abutting thereon, according to act of Assembly; therefore,

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Ordained and enacted into an ordinance this 7th day of November, A. D., 1912.

W. R. Gaut,
President of Council.

Attest:.....
Ira L. Nickeson.
Examined and approved by me this 8th day of November, A. D., 1912.
George W. Risbeck,
Burgess.

MEMORY OF SAVAGES.

Wonderful Feats of the Zulus in Conveying Verbal Messages.

The memory in savage or uncultured peoples is often trained to a degree very surprising to those civilized men and women who have grown used to depending on the written word. The transmission of whole epics, like the "Iliad" by word of mouth is no longer seems so incredible when you read of the feats of memory of which great day times are capable.

These people, says Mr. Gifford in "The Story of the Zulus," have no written laws and are obliged to transmit laws, news and record events by memory alone. They can do so because their mental operations are made especially distinct by reason of their acquired or inherited habit of giving undivided attention to the subject in hand.

Communications between the British authorities and the Zulu kings were carried on by means of verbal messages carried by natives. A certain old man addressed by the British to convey a message to the king, would go to the king's court, and there, in the hearing of the king, would repeat the message. Although the message contained some 4000 words and was accompanied by much ceremony on the part of the king, it was desired to convey the whole message to the king with perfect accuracy.

STEEL RAILS A MARVEL.

The Strain, the Pull, the Pounding and Grinding They Endure.

Have you an idea of the strain to which a steel rail is subjected today? Let us consider one for a moment in the time of its greatest torture and see. The Cannon Rail express is coming. It is drawn by two engines. The largest weighs 100 tons. Seventy-seven tons of the weight are carried on the six driving wheels, which means almost thirteen tons to a wheel. Thirteen tons of weight upon each wheel! That means thirteen tons of weight impinging for a flying instant upon a rail surface perhaps no more than an inch square and then moving forward all the time, a succession of whirling blows from a thirteen ton hammer.

If the train is going thirty miles an hour an imaginary square inch has but one five-hundred-and-twenty-eighth part of a second in which to receive the blow, whence under it, distribute the terrible force of it through its elastic elements to the surrounding mass of the rail, thence itself to help distribute stresses that are being set up on adjacent surfaces and mingling back and forth in all sorts of ways through the content of the rail and then almost instantly lift its dejected head to receive the blow of the next driving wheel. If the train is going sixty miles an hour instead of thirty this all has to be repeated, whistled and passed on in one ten-thousandth part of a second.

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For the Lover of Fancy Work

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The following are a few of the Stamped Pieces we carry:

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We carry at all times a complete line of Battenberg and Drawn Work in square scarfs and doilies at all prices. These are just the thing for those who do not have the time to spare on the hand work.

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in all sizes. Ask to see them.

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PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH.

Descendants of the Germans Who Came to This Country in 1682.

To most Americans the word "Dutch" means German. The Dutch are Hollanders from the Netherlands. New York was first settled by the Dutch from Holland.

The first Germans came to this country in 1632 and settled at Germantown. It is estimated that the Germans and their descendants in Pennsylvania numbered 100,000 at the time of our revolution. The descendants of these are called the Pennsylvania Germans or Dutch. The word Dutch is a corruption of Deutsch, meaning German.

The early Germans were followers of Menno Simons, known as Mennonites. They were persecuted in their own country on account of their religious belief and when Penn offered religious liberty it was gladly accepted by them. The persecuted Germans came largely from the Rhenish palatinate, Wurtemberg, from the lower Rhine, Alsace, Saxony and Switzerland.

The southeastern counties of Pennsylvania, such as Lancaster, York, Berks and Lebanon, were chosen for settlement. These settlers spoke a variety of dialects, and, owing to segregation in religious communities, they clung to their mother tongue. English words have since crept in and as a result we have the somewhat picturesque language known as the "Pennsylvania Dutch." Their religious belief and their common interest have preserved this class with singular purity.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Hotel Hoodoo Room.

"We used to have a room in the old Fifth Avenue hotel that was known as the suicide room," said a former clerk "Of course the name was an office secret, but whenever one of us rented that room to a stranger we never felt quite comfortable about him until after he had left the hotel. Now that the old hotel is gone there can be no harm in mentioning that the number of the room was 369. I don't see how even the most superstitious person could get a hoodoo out of that number, and nobody ever refused to take it so far as I know, but it is a fact that of the twenty-five suicides that took place in the Fifth Avenue hotel during fifty years, seventeen occurred in room 369. The last that took place was that of a young woman, who drowned herself in a bathtub. You will find that in any big hotel that has been running for any length of time there is a room that has a hoodoo of some kind on it."—New York Sun.

Filing an Alibi.

Parson White's precautionary measure of protecting his chicken coop with chilled steel bars was futile, for that very night four more of his choice Leghorns disappeared, leaving the severed bars as the only visible evidence of the theft. However, his suspicions pointed toward his next door neighbor, whom he had seen prowling around his yard that day, and accordingly he had this suspect up in the police court the next morning.

"If the prisoner can file an alibi I'll let him off with a suspended sentence," announced the judge at the end of the evidence. "Can you file an alibi, Ham?"

"I guess I can," eagerly rejoined the suspect. "If it ain't any harder den Parson White's chicken coop bars."—San Francisco Star.

STAR GAZING.

The Study of the Constellations as a Pastime.

Probably every reader has often admired the beauty of a starlight night. A little careful observation on such a night will show that the brighter stars may be divided into groups or "constellations," as the astronomers call them, most of which are known by the names of animals or legendary persons, such for example as "the Great Bear," "the Swan," "the Centaur," "Andromeda," etc. The easiest method of learning these "constellations" is from some one already acquainted with them, but if the beginner is not fortunate enough to know any such person the majority can be learned from any cheap star maps such as are sometimes contained in almanacs.

Now, if the budding astronomer will notice the position of any of these groups or constellations at a particular hour of any night and then look a few hours afterward he will see that during the interval the stars which appeared low down in the east have risen to the south in a somewhat similar manner to the apparent motion of the sun and moon, while closer attention on several evenings will show a circular or rotary movement around the north pole of the heavens, the motion being the opposite way to the hands of a clock.

Near the north pole is a bright star called the "Pole star." This star is easily found when the observer has once noted the seven bright stars of the "Great Bear," the two outer stars of the four forming the "square" known as the "pointers" point almost directly to the Pole star. This majestic movement of the stars around the pole of the heavens is a most sublime and wonderful sight.—Country Side

The Past That Returns.

The most powerful subject booked for the month. Three reels. Palace Theatre Monday. 92-43

Read the Mail

AMES SHEPLER, AGED RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

After an illness lasting some weeks, James Shepler, aged 74 years and 11 months died Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at his home 631 McKean avenue. Mr. Shepler took sick several weeks ago, and seemed to improve to again become ill a few days ago. His death came rather unexpectedly, being due it is stated to heart trouble.

His widow, Mr. Rachael Shepler, one daughter, Miss Anna Shepler, at home; two brothers Peter of Ruffs-dale and Kelly of Greensburg; and two sisters, Mrs. William Martin, of Bulger and Mrs. Perry Martin of Gastonville survive.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Sunday. Interment will be in the Finleyville cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Shepler have been residents of Charleroi for years. They came here from Finleyville.

OFFICIAL COUNT NOW UNDER WAY AT COUNTY SEAT

The official return board composed of John W. McDowell and Woodard M. Taylor, to be assisted by John Judson and W.E. Welch, was appointed by the court at Washington Thursday.

At 12:30 o'clock Friday they began the count of the official returns on the election in this county. The count is being made in the presence of Judge J. F. Taylor. The prothonotary, A. V. Lewis to whose office the returns were made, has charge of the returns and is assisting in getting them in shape for the counting.

It is expected that it will take until today to complete the work. The return sheet, used this year, is very much of an improvement over the former big bulky sheet. It is in sort of book form and much easier to handle and to look over.

COUNTY DOCTORS TO HOLD MEETING

Officers will be elected by the Washington county medical society at its meeting to be held at Washington next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Reed building. The following scientific program will be carried out at the meeting:

The Principles of Artificial Feeding of Infants," H. P. Prowitt.
"Treatment of Acute Enterocolitis," J. Clive Enos.

"Relation of Gastro-Intestinal Diseases to Infant Mortality," F. I. Patterson.

"Calomel," B. A. Emery.
Dr. J. W. Hunter of Charleroi is the president now of the Washington county medical society.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

An old-time turkey dinner will be served Thanksgiving Day at St. James A. M. E. church by the stewards and stewardesses. Dinner 35c. Refreshments of all kinds served. A musical and literary program at 8 p. m.

T. E. Wilson, Pastor.
Mrs. M. Jones, Manager
W. C. Smith, Secy.
Mrs. Arnetta Primus, Treas. 93-41

SKIFF CATCHES ON FERRY LINE; RESULT IS MAN LOSES LIFE

Crossing the river in a skiff today at noon at Brownsville a man by the name of Crawford of West Brownsville got caught in the ferry line, and his skiff was overturned. He was unable to swim out. The body was not located.

Celebrated Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Reed celebrated their golden wedding at their home at Cross Creek Wednesday. The couple were married in Burgettstown in 1862. They have five sons and five grand children.

The Past That Returns.

The first wrong steps of a good woman, and the bitterness of repentance as she gazes into blackest despair. Three reels Palace Monday. 92-43

Men's fine shoes for work or dress, \$1.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist.

Combination church and Sunday school service with sermon on "The Lord's Portion," at 10:30. Junior Epworth League at 2:30. Epworth League devotional meeting led by L. H. Goehring. Subject, "The Ungathered Harvest," at 6:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Kingdom of God and How to Enter It," at 7:30. Wednesday mid-week service at 7:30. You are always welcome at the home-like church. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Lutheran.

Washington and Sixth. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11. Subject, "Martin Luther." Luther League prayer meeting at 6:45. Miss Ruth Heupel leader. Subject, "The Times and the Man." Vesper service with sermon at 7:30. Subject "Home Missions." The public is most cordially invited to these services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Baptist.

Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject of sermon, "Faithful in little; faithful in much." Young People's Union meeting at 6:30. Subject, "Temperance." Everybody invited. Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

Metropolitan Baptist.

Preaching at 11. Bible school at 2:30. Correll Missionary program at 7:30. Sermon at 8. All welcome. Rev. W. B. Crawford, pastor.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian. Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "God's Call and Man's Response." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Mrs. Ella Allman, supt. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Temperance Progress Over the World." Leader, Dr. Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon, "A Call From the Heights." Strangers and those without a church home are welcomed here. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal.

Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "God All in All." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "The Christian Life One of Progress." All are cordially invited. Rev. L. W. Shey, rector.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11. Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Rev. Vishanoff will speak of his conversion in Macedonia at the evening service at 7:30. The evening Sunday will be for the college board. All strangers welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

First Christian.

Fallowfield near Sixth. Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 11. Subject, "Praise." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Subject, "Temperance." Leader, Charles Clerihue. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Why I am a Member of the Christian Church." This sermon is introductory to our evangelistic meeting beginning November 17. This is the people's church. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

Biggest Ever Built.

It is claimed for the tabernacle erected at McKeesport for the evangelistic meetings conducted by Rev. Billy Sunday that it is the largest ever used in any of his meetings and the largest temporary building for religious purposes ever erected in the world.

Notice.

All who desire to again join the Charleroi Book Club will notify Mrs. E. C. Niver, 414 Washington avenue, Charleroi. 89-43p

Shoes that sell elsewhere for \$2.50, and \$3.00, our price \$1.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

Childrens 65c Shoes, special 39c, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

Valley Boy Great Athlete.

Levi Lamb, of California the great Penn State athlete, formerly a member of the Monessen A. A. has joined the Pittsburg Athletic Association.

The Human Enigma.

His Daughter—Papa, did you know mamma long before you married her? Her Father—Just between you and me, my dear, I don't know her yet.

Her Role.

He—They say Miss Lulu is very much in request for dinner parties. She—So I have heard. She is a regular dinner belle.

Report of the Condition of the Bank of Charleroi, at Charleroi, Cor. Fallowfield Ave. and Fifth Street, of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Nov. 1st, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:		
Cash, specie and notes	\$20,000 00	
Due from approved reserve agents	111,562 71	\$131,562 71
Checks and cash items		318 00
Securities pledged for Special deposits		5,219 95
Assets held for, viz:		5,280 00
State discount upon one name	\$230,758 37	
Bills discounted upon two or more names	855,178 68	1,085,937 05
Time loans with collateral		29,004 04
Loans on call with collateral		141,765 62
Loans on call upon one name		22,877 75
Loans on call upon two or more names		208,047 62
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages		105,688 17
Bonds, Stocks, etc., Schedule D		218,786 51
Mortgages and judgments of record, Schedule D-2		203,803 03
Office building and lot		35,000 00
Other real estate		25,032 27
Overdrafts		178 76
Total		\$1,750,183 83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	75,000 00
Surplus fund	230,758 37
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	22,204 34
Individual deposits subject to check	339,551 91
Time certificates of deposit	225,692 16
Savings Fund Deposits	677,080 43
Deposits, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania	20,000 00
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings	712 91
Deposits, Municipal	101,518 01
Certified Checks	760 84
Cashier's Checks outstanding	9,000 00
Due to Banks and Trust Co's, etc., not reserve	1,000 00
Dividends unpaid	6 00

Total \$1,750,183 83
State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss:
I, KERRFOOT W. DALY, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
KERRFOOT W. DALY, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Nov. 1912.
MINNIE B. RICHARDSON,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 11, 1914.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
T. L. DALY,
C. F. THOMPSON,
T. R. GRANT, } Directors.

Notice.
My wife, Elizabeth D. Pfile, having left my bed and board without any just cause, notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.
86-t6p John Pfile.

Classified Ads.

FOR RENT—Two five room flats on McKean avenue. Address 231 McKean avenue. 91-43

FOR RENT—House on McKean avenue near Second street. Five rooms with bath. Inquire of Dr. Lida Grant, 461 Main Street, Monongahela, Pa. 84-4f

WANTED—Good pastry cook, Casino Restaurant. 92-43p

WANTED—Girl for office work. Make application in own handwriting and leave at Mail office. 87-4f

WANTED—To exchange a 32-40 Marlin repeating rifle for a shot gun. Address, Marlin, Mail office. 91-43

WANTED—Young lady who understand shorthand and typewriting. Must be good writer. Good salary to right party. Apply at once to People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue. 92-4f

WANTED—A lady to solicit orders for Butterine, Butter and Eggs in Charleroi and Monessen. Address W. H. Zimmerman, Elizabeth, Pa., R. F. D. 3. Bell Phone, 174-22, Monongahela. 93-41p

WANTED—Good man to conduct a general insurance business in Charleroi. If you can write insurance here is your chance to make \$25.00 per week or more. Address A. J. Johnson, manager, Franklin, Pa. 93-41

WOMEN—If you want work, sell guaranteed hosiery to wearers; big commission; make \$10 daily; experience unnecessary. Address International Mills, 3038 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 45-S-4f

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STATE HELPS FARMERS PROTECT THEIR LANDS

State Constabulary Men Out Looking After Hunters

TRESPASSING QUESTION

City Nimrods Claimed to Destroy Property--Game Laws Violated Also

That the state is going to aid the farmers in the protection of their lands from the inroads of hunters and trespassers is proven by the patrol of the State constabulary of the various game sections. Friday night a couple of the State constabulary, Privates C. R. Young and C. S. Alvis, from the Greensburg barracks were in Charleroi after a trip of two days through a part of Westmoreland and Washington counties. They left this morning.

Privates Young and Alvis will be out for a few days and will quietly make investigations in the vicinity of Fredericktown, Marianna and other places. They went to Fredericktown today from Charleroi. From that point they will head in the direction of Marianna, keeping a sharp watch meanwhile for evidences of hunters violating the law.

It is claimed that not only are the trespassing laws frequently violated by city Nimrods, but also and just as frequently the game laws. The two State constabulary men are on horseback and are well equipped for their work. They will return by way of Charleroi and Monessen to their barracks.

SPECIAL FEATURE COMING TO COYLE

Barney Gilmore and Dublin Dan to be Shown in Three-Reel Production

The program for the week of Nov. 11 is as follows:

Monday.	
"Dublin Dan" 3 reels	Solax
Tuesday.	
Honor of the Family	Rex
Feiled A Fortune Hunter	Eclair
Hunted Down	Bison
Wednesday.	
The Homecoming	Eclair
Skeleton	Powers
Border Parson	Nestor
Thursday.	
Kentucky Feud	Rex
King, the Detective and the Smugglers	Imp
Making Uncle Jealous	Eclair
Friday.	
Angel of the Studio	Victor
Just a Woman	Powers
Lady Barber of Roaring	Gulch
	Nestor
Saturday.	
Daughter of the Redskins, 2 reels	Bison
Joe, the Pirate	Imp

Question of The Curfew

Some Lads Don't Care Whether it Rings or Not and Cuss the Police

According to the police it makes no difference to a large number of the juvenile population of Charleroi whether the curfew is going to ring tonight, or whether it rang last night or the night before. The lads are numerous who find it impossible to hear the bell sounding the requiem of the day's play. Chief of Police Albright said this morning that not only would they refuse to pay any attention to the curfew but would also even go to the extreme of "cussing" the police who tried to chase them home.

MONEY TO FINISH UP NEW ROAD

Bond Issue May Not be Utilized to Begin Highways

OFFICIALS GIVE WORD

It is said by those who are keeping tab on county road building that no new contracts will be let to be met with the proceeds of the bond issue of \$100,000 now being advertised. It is expected that fully that much money will be required to complete the roads for which contracts were let last year.

In 1911 a road bond issue of \$500,000 was authorized by the grand jury and the court, and contracts for that amount were let. These contracts have not been finished and the expense for engineering, supervision, extras and alterations will run the total cost to \$600,000. All the contractors are behind with their work, and every extra day they take costs the county a large sum for engineering and supervision. No less than 21 roads are upon the waiting list and those interested in their construction had expected that some of them would be built with the proceeds of the new bond issue but they are doomed to disappointment.

Coyle Has Big Feature.
For a special feature Monday the Coyle Theatre will present "Dublin Dan, the Irish Detective," in three reels. Barney Gilmore, the eminent actor, takes the leading role in this great thrilling and sensational melodrama, which is a tangle of crime, conspiracy and punishment. "Dublin Dan" is one of the big motion picture releases of the week, and Manager Coyle was particularly fortunate in securing it at this particular time.

Boys Regular \$1.50, Specials 98c.
Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

WILL TRY TO KEEP PARTY IN ITS PLACE

Republicans Not of Opinion That Progressives Will be Able to Remove From Them Their Prestige

Plans were outlined in Philadelphia Friday to prevent the Washington party enthusiasts from depriving either the Republican or the Democratic party of representation now enjoyed on the precinct boards of registrars and to block the new party from preceding the old parties in the grouping of party columns on the official ballot. Republican and Democratic members of the legislature are expected to support legislation drafted to that end.

Under the apportionment bills which are expected to be passed at the next session of the legislature, Philadelphia will be entitled to an additional congressman and Allegheny county may get another. The representation in the state senate remains unchanged due to a constitutional provision, but there will be a loss of one member in the state house of representatives, due to the increase in

the ration following the growth of the population of the state at large.

The present legislature stands 31 Republicans, 15 Democrats and one Keystoner in the Senate and 127 Republicans, 36 Democrats, 15 Washington party and nine Keystoners in the House.

The argument is advanced that the Washington party is an ephemeral body formed to promote the candidacy of Col. Roosevelt, and that it may never figure again in a presidential contest. It is proposed to amend the election law to provide that no party shall be considered as entitled to a rating for position on the ballot unless it shall have been in existence at least four years and had candidates balloted for at least two presidential elections. A similar provision will be added to the law governing the recognition of parties in the appointment of personal registration officers.

PHILLIPS GROOMED FOR NATIONAL CLUB

Local Man Among Those Suggested for Managership of One of Several Major League Teams Hunting Leader

Among the prominent managers being considered by the half dozen or so big league clubs in the country for their leading managers is "Bill" Phillips, of Charleroi the ex-National pitcher who has created a sensation by his wonderful success in the management of Class B and Class C league teams. Phillips has been commended with by some of the teams—he refuses to say which—and he has given his answer.

Among the teams said to be hunting managers are Cincinnati, St. Louis, Chicago, Brooklyn and Boston in the National league and the New York Highlanders in the American. Previous to last season Cincinnati and Brooklyn sought the services of Phillips. He accepted the position of manager of Youngstown, in the Central league.

No manager or player in the country is better known than Phillips. A few years back he took hold of Wheeling in the Central league when

it was about on the rocks and from the cellar position, with practically nothing to work upon except his nerve, brought Wheeling clear to the top. After that he was engaged by East Liverpool in the Ohio-Pennsylvania league to land a winner there and from there Phillips went to Youngstown, where his success was legion.

Phillips absolutely refuses to consider the management of a team where he will not be given free rein. That is the only thing, it is declared that kept him from the management of either Boston, Cincinnati or Brooklyn. If the heads of the teams now asking for his services are willing to accede to these terms, he will consider their offers, if not he won't. At present Manager Phillips is concerned about the success of the Central league and being in that will not discuss the prospects of the bigger leagues, though keeping close tab on them.

PROTECTORS OF LAW GET INTO TROUBLE

Authorities of Inner County Points Are Accused of Wrongdoing--Appear Before Justice of the Peace

Three Washington County constables are in trouble. Constables J. J. Miller and J. W. Crumm of East Canonsburg were arrested by Constable Martin Nugent of Justice of the Peace E. C. Fulick's office in East Canonsburg Friday.

Information which charges blackmail and extortion were made by Andrew Susko, who alleges that he was arrested by one of the constables and selling liquor without a license and

that upon receipt of \$50 last November 1 Miller allowed the charge to be dropped. Susko declares that in order that he might sell liquor he was compelled to pay Crumm an average of \$5 a week for several weeks.

The Washington county grand jury on Friday returned a true bill against Constable Joseph A. Plymire for alleged embezzlement of funds collected in his official capacity. The case will be tried in the November term of court.

LECTURE COURSE SURE GO CLAIM THE GUARANTORS

The Citizen's Entertainment course is to be a go this year in spite of the rumors to the contrary. Tickets are being disposed of rapidly now by a committee of guarantors working in a campaign with Charles O. Frye as general. Enough have been sold now to guarantee the course. One reservation of seats will be announced when the date of the first entertainment is learned.

Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

BAPTISTS ENJOY EVENING OF FUN AT SILVER SOCIAL

A silver social was held by the congregation of the First Baptist church Friday evening in the church. With a good sized crowd present an interesting musical and literary program was given. The following participated: Mrs. C. C. Wright, Mrs. A. G. Lewis, Miss Grace Wilson, Marion Stanley, Dorothy Whitlatch, Ben Frye and Virginia Tussing.

The Past That Returns. Three reel dramatic masterpiece Palace Theatre Monday. 92-13

MUST UNDERGO TRIAL FOR FUNKA MURDER

Deaths Are Investigated

Coroner Heffran Reports Findings in Seventeen Fatalities in County

Coroner James T. Heffran has

tober showing that he had investigated 17 sudden or violent deaths during the last four weeks. This is an unusually small number for the county for a month. Eight persons were killed on the railroads of Washington county, one at a street crossing, and one on a street. Two were killed by employees, two were trespassers and two were drunk. One trespasser on a street railway was killed and four sudden deaths were among the list. Four persons were killed in the mines, two by motor, one by a fall of slate and one by electrocution.

ELKS TO HOLD LODGE OF SORROW

Committee Secures New Yorker to Deliver Memorial Address

PROGRAM IS ARRANGED

The annual memorial services of Charleroi Lodge, No. 494, B. P. O. Elks will be held this year in the First Methodist Episcopal church, and the date will be Sunday December 1, in the afternoon. Herman J. Westbrook, of Fredonia, N. Y., is to be the speaker.

W. R. Gant is to deliver the eulogy. During the last year there was just one death that of Exalted Ruler Seth K. Long. Mr. Long was the only exalted ruler to have died during his term of office in the local order. The benediction will be pronounced by Rev. E. N. Duty of the First Christian church.

The local committee feels that in securing Mr. Westbrook it has been exceedingly fortunate. He is a speaker of power. Mr. Westbrook is a prominent attorney in New York state. Before taking up the work at the bar, he was the secretary to Supreme Justice Warren B. Hooker. During their stay in Charleroi Mr. and Mrs. Westbrook will be the guests of Dr. G. H. Smith.

Big Feature at the Palace.

A gripping, human interest drama has been booked for the Palace Theatre Monday. This is "The Past That Returns," in three reels, which tells the story of a good woman gone wrong and her bitter repentance when she realizes the consequences of her act. It is a powerful emotional plot of love, happiness and despair, in which the extremes of human emotion are most graphically portrayed.

George Green Indicted on Charge of Slaying German Girl

EVIDENCE COLLECTED

County Has Nothing But Circumstantial Proof to Offer in the Case

On evidence that purely circumstantial, George Green of Manifold was indicted for murder by the grand jury at Washington Friday. The evidence was the killing of Celia Funka, the 15-year-old German girl, who was assaulted in a lonely spot near her home at Manifold last August and choked to death. A large number of witnesses were called and it was nearly 5 o'clock before the case was completed and a true bill returned.

No murder case in Washington county for a long time has attracted more attention than the killing of this young German girl. The evidence against Green is entirely circumstantial. He was held to await the action of the grand jury on recommendation of the coroner's jury. Green has been in jail since his arrest.

Celia Funka was on her way from her home from Washington when she was attacked, assaulted and left dead. Her body was not found until the following day.

It was not for several days that Green was suspected and then suspicion was directed towards him on account of his apparent interest in the case and seeming knowledge of many facts surrounding the death of the young girl. What may come out at the trial cannot be said. The case has been set for trial on November 20.

Three of the foreigners implicated in the killing of a fellow countryman at Daisytown, several weeks ago, during a general fight, were indicted for manslaughter. The bill against three others was ignored.

The grand jury has returned a number of true bills since it met Wednesday and ignored several. The cases are for the most part those of minor offenses.

PRESENT LOVING CUP TO ANTHONY MURPHY

Anthony Murphy who is soon to move to Finleyville to embark in business was given a send off by a number of his friends Thursday night. A loving cup was given to him and resolutions were adopted in his honor.

Charleroi Beats Monessen.
Charleroi polled more votes than Monessen their total being 1,181, while Monessen had 1,74 giving the Magic City the lead by seven votes.

The Past That Returns.
A story of a woman's hate, and gratitude with many exciting periods in her life's career, three parts, Palace Monday. 92-13

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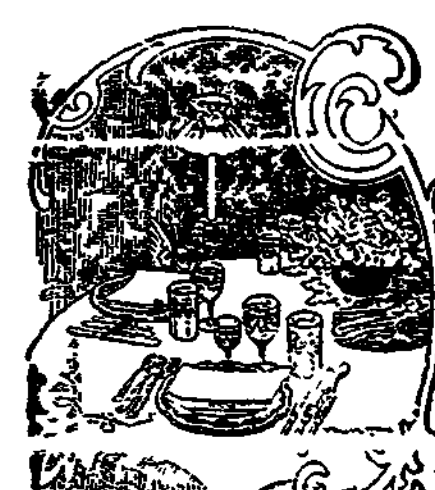
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Men's Rubber Boots, \$2.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

A silver social was held by the congregation of the First Baptist church Friday evening in the church. With a good sized crowd present an interesting musical and literary program was given. The following participated: Mrs. C. C. Wright, Mrs. A. G. Lewis, Miss Grace Wilson, Marion Stanley, Dorothy Whitlatch, Ben Frye and Virginia Tussing.

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WOMAN SUFFRAGE GAINS.

One of the most notable by-pro-
ducts of last Tuesday's election is the
triumph of woman suffrage in Kan-
sas, Oregon, Arizona and probably
Michigan, says the Philadelphia
Press. This is a very large gain in
a single year, as the progress of the
woman suffrage cause has been slow,
though latterly it has appeared to
move at an accelerated pace. Every
State gained facilities the capture of
other States, and the woman suf-
fragists in America have every rea-
son for rejoicing. Their battle for
suffrage rights has been a long one,
and though they are still far from the
national citadel they have broken
through the outer lines of entrench-
ments and have captured many posts.

"It is in the West where women
are in a minority and where tradition
and custom are less controlling than
in the East that woman suffrage has
won its chief victories thus far. Col-
orado, Wyoming, Utah, Idaho, Wash-
ington and California had already
granted equal suffrage and it is claim-
ed that 800,000 women voted or were
qualified to vote in those States in
the recent election. The Rocky
Mountain and Pacific coast atmosphere
seems favorable to women, but the
vote of Kansas and Michigan last
Tuesday brings woman suffrage fur-
ther East and will greatly strengthen
the faith of woman suffragists in its
ultimate general adoption in this
country.

"Every State once gained stands
fast in the suffrage column, whereas
defeat only means the renewal of the
struggle at the next favorable op-
portunity. Oregon twice rejected
woman suffrage, but accepted it at
the third time, whether convinced or
worned into adopting it cannot be
known; but the effect is just the
same. In England the suffragettes
have become belligerent and riotous
in their methods of campaigning. That
there is almost none of that folly
here will perhaps explain the much
greater progress made for the suf-
frage cause in America than the mil-
itant ranks of the English suffraget-
tes are able to exhibit."

MOTHERS' PENSIONS.

will be made at the next session of
the Pennsylvania legislature to se-
cure the enactment of a "Mothers'
Pension Law." This is an allowance
to be paid to dependent mothers by
the county or from public funds for

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TWO REELS

Part I

A romance long past she cherished,
And some letters she carefully nourished;
Which she kept laid away,
From the light of the day,
They told of the love that ne'er perished.

Part II

She hoped her lost love would return,
And all other offers did spurn;
He came back at last,
The illusion soon passed,
Then the letters she quickly did burn.

Watch this space Monday

PICKED UP IN PASSING

the support of themselves and their
children instead of sending the chil-
dren to the county home or an insti-
tution in order to relieve the mother.
This mothers' pension idea is already
in effect in various parts of the coun-
try, and is attracting wide attention.
It has been found by investigation
and actual experience that a pension
paid to mothers who are left depen-
dent with children to support is less
expensive to the taxpayers than
building and maintaining public in-
stitutions for this purpose. In addi-
tion it keeps the children at home un-
der the care of their mother which in
most cases is a better home than in
an institution. It is found by social
investigators that institution life is
devoid of humanity and the most of
the juvenile delinquents and habitual
criminals were once institutional in-
mates in their early childhood. While
the mothers' pension is a new idea, it
is eminently practical, and it works
a decided benefit to society. It is
well for all to investigate this subject
as it will very likely come before
our legislature for approval at the
coming session.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

What's the use of discussing poli-
tics when there is so much trouble in
the baseball world.

If Oliver Wendell Holmes could
only write a poem about the hulk of
the Republican party the same as he
did about the old frigate Constitution.
It might help some.

One newspaper says that Woodrow
Wilson established a record by win-
ning 425 electoral votes. No, it wasn't
altogether Wilson, but rather a com-
bination of circumstances.

According to all precedents Gaby
Desha is a good artist, with the form
of an artist's model.

It is a pity some of the never learn
to play the phonograph.

Some of the politicians who were
considered up-and-coming a month or
two ago are so lost in the dust be-
hind that they can hardly be consid-
ered politicians at all.

There was a young lady named Golda,
"I love you," she follows all today;
They'd come every night
And turn down the light,
And holda and holda and holda.
—Detroit News

November is a bad month for tur-
key, spelled either with or without
the capital T.

The whole Roosevelt family got
beaten. Even son-in-law Nick got
licked for Congress in Ohio.

Nearly every fellow is ready at
some time or other to think that he is
being worked to death.

It is announced that the nomination
on the Republican party of a man to
take Vice President Sherman's place
is purely an honorary one. Wonder
how they figure that out?

It is related of a valley theatre that
one day recently the box office man
had occasion to be away and detail-
ed his bill poster to attend to the
sales during his absence. The bill
poster was a raw-boned youth of 22
years whose vocabulary was compos-
ed chiefly of slang and profanity.
During the afternoon a handsomely
dressed young lady approached the
window and asked:
"Did Mr. leave some ticket
here for me?"
The bill poster rummaged around,
and finally found an envelope con-
taining tickets, on which was inscrib-
ed the gentleman's name she mention-
ed.
"Are these for you?" demanded the
bill poster, handing her the envelope.
"Yes," replied the young lady, "I'm
Gladys Zell."
"What's that?" asked the startled
bill poster.
"I said," repeated the young lady,
"that I'm Gladys Zell."
"So'm I," replied the bill poster
confidentially. "We always like to
please our patrons."

The other day a Charleroi woman
who belongs to one of the afternoon
card clubs was in the kitchen prepar-
ing the light refreshments for the
occasion, as it was her turn to enter-
tain, when a small girl came to the
back door to deliver some garden pro-
duce. The girl belonged to a family
in humble circumstances, and she was
much interested in the work of the
woman in preparing for the social
event. The woman explained to the
girl about the card club and the re-
freshments that were to be served.
"My ma belongs to a club too,"
said the child.
"Indeed," replied the woman, "and
what do they do at your mother's
club, play cards?"
"No," answered the child.
"Do they sew?" again queried the
woman?
"No."
"Then what do they do?"
"Oh," replied the little one, "they
draw names out of a hat to see
who'll have the next meeting."

Weighting the Atmosphere.
If we are to believe both legend and
history the first attempt to weigh air
was that made by Aristotle, the great
Greek philosopher of the fifth century.
He first weighed an empty goatskin
bag and then inflated it and again put
it in the balances and because he
found no difference in weight under
the two conditions announced to the
world that air was a substance without
weight. With modern labora-
tory apparatus most any high school
science class can demonstrate the fact that
a flask of ten cubic inches capacity
weighs fully three grains more when
filled with air than it does after be-
ing pumped out of the exhaust of an air
pump. The numerous experiments
that have been made on the weight of
air warrant the students in assuming
that the weight of air is not negligible.
The weight of air is about sixteen-
fourths of an ounce per cubic foot.

The Intruder.
A certain boat coming up the Mis-
sissippi one day during a flood last
year was waylaid by a crocodile in a
fringe house. She hadn't more than
touched it before an old dorky man
and his head up through a hole in the
roof, where the chimney once came
out, and pulled at the cabin on the
roof. "What's your name and what boat?"
"Can't you see nothing? First thing you
knows you gwine to turn this house-
over, spill de old woman an' de child-
ren in de flood an' drown 'em. What
you doin' out here in de country wid
your boat anyhow? Go on back yan-
der froo de co'nfields an' get back
into de ribber whar you b'longs. Ain't
got no business se'n miles out in de
country foolin' roun' people's houses
nobow!" And the boat backed out.

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Big Corn Crop in County.

Reports from farmers in Hopewell,
Independence and Overtownships are
to the effect that corn is an unusually
large crop this season. Some of
the yields have averaged from 100
to 200 bushels to the acre.

Modest Kit Carson.
Christopher (Kit) Carson touched the
wild life of the west at more points
than any other person of any time.
But he was always modest, declares a
writer in the Century Magazine, and
disliked anything which savored of
battered. One day in 1862 the great
frontiersman chanced to stop at Max-
well's camp, on the Cimarron river, in
New Mexico, a well known point on
the Santa Fe trail, when a regular ar-
my officer of high rank who was there
exclaimed exuberantly:
"So this is the distinguished Kit Car-
son who has made so many Indians
run!"
Carson silenced his eulogist by quiet-
ly remarking, "Yes, I've made some
Indians run, but a good deal of the
time they were running after me."

A Dish of Potted Roses.
There was a time when Englishmen
could celebrate St. George's day by
feasting on roses as well as wearing
them. Old cookery books abound in
recipes into which rose leaves enter.
One writer tells how to make potted
roses. "I first pound some of the most
fragrant roses in a mortar. Then I
take the brains of birds and pigs well
boiled and stripped of every particle of
meat. I then add the yolks of some
eggs, some oil, a little cordial, some
pepper and some wine. After having
beaten and mixed it well together I
place it over a slow fire. When this
dish is brought to table the most de-
licious fragrance issues forth, covering
the guests with delight." Every good
housewife in the seventeenth century
made rosewater, which was used for
flavoring food.

THE ELEVATOR BOY.

In Chicago He Made Rapid Progress
In Becoming an Expert.
The first day he is occupied mainly
in learning how to run his elevator.
The second day he is so delighted
with his position that he makes every
effort to give all the information asked
of him.
The third day he gets his uniform
and begins accustoming himself to
telling the passengers to step lively.
The fourth day he learns how to
advise anxious inquirers to look at the
bulletin board or ask the starter.
The fifth day he is so thoroughly
versed in the duties of his position
that he can run the car past people
who are yelling "Down" or "Up" and
three floors away from them wait
back the gentle admonition to punch
the button. Also, he is now able to
carry the nervous passengers two
floors too far and then refuse to go
back.
The sixth day he is an adept and
demonstrates it by sliding the door
quickly in the face of the man who is
a second late, also by stopping the car
and dropping a couple of floors to take
on the stenographers with huge blood
rats, who laughily omit pressing the
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He is now a real elevator boy and
wonders what right the public thinks
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Animals That Are Always Enemies.
Many animals are born with an in-
herent antipathy for other animals.
The excessive fear shown by young
rabbits which for the first time smell a
ferret and of young turkeys which
hear the shrill cry of a hawk they
have never heard or seen before are
proved examples of the strength of
these instinctive antipathies. But the
case of the weasel and rat is, perhaps,
more to be noticed because of the
greater equality of the antagonists.
The feud is so bitter that a meeting be-
tween them almost certainly means
death to one or both. Friendships are
not uncommon between the cat and dog
and have been known between a dog
and wolf, but the mutual attitude of
the weasel and rat is invariably war-
war that is waged to the death.

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Dandies of Past Centuries Would Make
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by the dandies of the past ages the
garments of our time in the gayest of
gay raiment make but a poor show.

The bishop of Ely in the fourteenth
century had a change of raiment for
every day in the year. The Earl of
Northumberland boasted no less than
sixty cloth of gold suits at this time.

In the time of Charles the men wore
clothes as many colored as Joseph's
coat, so that while one leg would be
a blaze of crimson, the other would be
tricked out in green, blue or yellow
without any regard for harmony or
contrast.

Even as late as the middle of the
eighteenth century, a dandy would
dress himself in a vivid green coat, a
waistcoat of scarlet, yellow breeches
and blue stockings.

And the gentlemen of a few years
later wore, among other ragged, a
coat of light green, with sleeves too
short for the arms and buttons too
small for the coat, a pair of blue
breeches, light-colored silk stockings
and a white cravat which looked like
the head which carried it, a hat not
larger than a slipper.

It was a common thing in the early
part of the eighteenth century for a
man of fashion to spend several hours
daily in the hands of his valet. Among
the many operations which took on
this time was the starching of the
waistcoat, the padding of the face and
neck with oils, tinctures, essences
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PENNSYLVANIA DUTCH.

Descendants of the Germans Who Came to This Country in 1682.

To most Americans the word "Dutch" means German. The Dutch are Hollanders from the Netherlands. New York was first settled by the Dutch from Holland.

The first Germans came to this country in 1682 and settled at Germantown. It is estimated that the Germans and their descendants in Pennsylvania numbered 100,000 at the time of our revolution. The descendants of these are called the Pennsylvania Germans or Dutch. The word Dutch is a corruption of Deutsch, meaning German.

The early Germans were followers of Menno Simons, known as Mennonites. They were persecuted in their own country on account of their religious belief and when Penn offered religious liberty it was gladly accepted by them. The persecuted Germans came largely from the Rhenish palatinate, Wurtemberg, from the lower Rhine, Alsace, Saxony and Switzerland.

The southeastern counties of Pennsylvania, such as Lancaster, York, Berks and Lebanon, were chosen for settlement. These settlers spoke a variety of dialects, and, owing to segregation in religious communities, they clung to their mother tongue. English words have since crept in and as a result the Pennsylvania Dutch is a unique language known as the "Pennsylvania Dutch." Their religious belief and their common interest have preserved this class with singular purity.—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Hotel Hoodoo Room.

"We used to have a room in the old Fifth Avenue hotel that was known as the suicide room," said a former clerk. "Of course the name was an office secret, but whenever one of us rented that room to a stranger we never felt quite comfortable about him until after he had left the hotel. Now that the old hotel is gone there can be no harm in mentioning that the number of the room was 569. I don't see how even the most superstitious person could get a hoodoo out of that number, and nobody ever refused to take it so far as I know, but it is a fact that of the twenty-five suicides that took place in the Fifth Avenue hotel during fifty years, seventeen occurred in room 569. The last that took place was that of a young woman, who drowned herself in a bathtub. You will find that in any big hotel that has been running for any length of time there is a room that has a hoodoo of some kind on it."—New York Sun.

Filing an Alibi.

Parson White's precautionary measure of protecting his chicken coop with chilled steel bars was futile, for that very night four more of his choice Leghorns disappeared, leaving the severed bars as the only visible evidence of the theft. However, his suspicions pointed toward his next door neighbor, whom he had seen prowling around his yard that day, and accordingly he had this suspect up in the police court the next morning.

"If the prisoner can file an alibi I'll let him off with a suspended sentence," announced the judge at the end of the evidence. "Can you file an alibi, Ham?"

"I guess I can," eagerly rejoined the suspect. "if it ain't any harder den Pabson White's chicken coop bars."—San Francisco Star.

STAR GAZING.

The Study of the Constellations as a Pastime.

Probably every reader has often admired the beauty of a starlight night. A little careful observation on such a night will show that the brighter stars may be divided into groups or "constellations," as the astronomers call them, most of which are known by the names of animals or legendary persons, such for example as "The Great Bear," "the Swan," "Orion," "Andromeda," etc. The easiest method of learning these "constellations" is from some one already acquainted with them but if the beginner is not fortunate enough to know any such person the majority can be learned from any cheap star maps such as are sometimes contained in almanacs.

Now, if the budding astronomer will notice the position of any of these groups or constellations at a particular hour of any night and then look a few hours afterward he will see that during the interval the stars which appeared low down in the east have risen to the south in a somewhat similar manner to the apparent motion of the sun and moon, while closer attention on several evenings will show a circular or rotary movement around the north pole of the heavens, the motion being the opposite way to the hands of a clock.

Near the north pole is a bright star called the "Pole star." This star is easily found when the observer has once noted the seven bright stars of the "Great Bear," the two outer stars of the four forming the "square" known as the "pointers" point almost directly to the Pole star. This majestic movement of the stars around the pole of the heavens is a most sublime and wonderful sight.—Country Side

The Past That Returns.

The most powerful subject looked for the month. Three reels. Palace Theatre Monday. 92-43

Read the Mail

AMES SHEPLER, AGED RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

After an illness lasting some weeks, James Shepler, aged 74 years and 11 months died Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock, at his home 681 McKean avenue. Mr. Shepler took sick several weeks ago, and seemed to improve to again become ill a few days ago. His death came rather unexpectedly, being due it is stated to heart trouble.

His widow, Mr. Rachael Shepler, one daughter, Miss Anna Shepler, at home; two brothers Peter of Ruffs-dale and Kelly of Greensburg; and two sisters, Mrs. William Martin, of Bulger and Mrs. Perry Martin of Gastonville survive.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 o'clock Sunday. Interment will be in the Finleyville cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. Shepler have been residents of Charleroi for years. They came here from Finleyville.

OFFICIAL COUNT NOW UNDER WAY AT COUNTY SEAT

The official return board composed of John W. McDowell and Woodard M. Taylor, to be assisted by John Judson and W.E. Welch, was appointed by the court at Washington Thursday.

At 12:30 o'clock Friday they began the count of the official returns on the election in this county. The count is being made in the presence of Judge J. F. Taylor. The prothonotary, A. V. Lewis to whose office the returns were made, has charge of the returns and is assisting in getting them in shape for the counting.

It is expected that it will take until today to complete the work. The return sheet, used this year, is very much of an improvement over the former big bulky sheet. It is in sort of book form and much easier to handle and to look over.

COUNTY DOCTORS TO HOLD MEETING

Officers will be elected by the Washington county medical society at its meeting to be held at Washington next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Reed building. The following scientific program will be carried out at the meeting:

The Principles of Artificial Feeding of Infants," H. P. Prowitz.

"Treatment of Acute Enterocolitis," J. Clave Enos.

"Relation of Gastro-Intestinal Diseases to Infant Mortality," F. I. Patterson.

"Calomel," B. A. Emery.

Dr. J. W. Hunter of Charleroi is the president now of the Washington county medical society.

Thanksgiving Dinner.

An old-time turkey dinner will be served Thanksgiving Day at St. James A. M. E. church by the stewards and stewardesses. Dinner 35c. Refreshments of all kinds served. A musical and literary program at 8 p. m.

- T. E. Wilson, Pastor.
Mrs. M. Jones, Manager
W. C. Smith, Secy.
Mrs. Arnetta Primus, Treas. 92-41

SKIFF CATCHES ON FERRY LINE; RESULT IS MAN LOSES LIFE

Crossing the river in a skiff today at noon at Brownsville a man by the name of Crawford of West Brownsville got caught in the ferry line, and his skiff was overturned. He was unable to swim out. The body was not located.

Celebrated Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Reed celebrated their golden wedding at their home at Cross Creek Wednesday. The couple were married in Burgettstown in 1862. They have five sons and five grand children.

The Past That Returns.

Ane hist wrong steps in a good woman, and the bitterness of repentance as she gazes into blackest despair. Three reels Palace Monday. 92-43

Men's fine shoes for work or dress, \$1.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Methodist.

Combination church and Sunday school service with sermon on "The Lord's Portion," at 10:30. Junior Epworth League at 2:30. Epworth League devotional meeting led by L. H. Goehring. Subject, "The Ungathered Harvest," at 6:30. Public worship and sermon on "The Kingdom of God and How to Enter It," at 7:30. Wednesday mid-week service at 7:30. You are always welcome at the home-like church. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Lutheran.

Washington and Sixth. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching services at 11. Subject, "Martin Luther." Luther League prayer meeting at 6:45. Miss Ruth Heupel leader. Subject, "The Times and the Man." Vesper service with sermon at 7:30. Subject "Home Missions." The public is most cordially invited to these services. Rev. C. P. Bastian, pastor.

Baptist.

Bible school at 9:45. Morning worship at 11. Subject of sermon, "Faithful in little; faithful in much." Young People's Union meeting at 6:30. Subject, "Temperance." Everybody invited. Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

Metropolitan Baptist.

Preaching at 11. Bible school at 2:30. Correll Missionary program at 7:30. Sermon at 8: All welcome. Rev. W. B. Crawford, pastor.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian. Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "God's Call and Man's Response." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Mrs. Ella Allman, supt. Senior C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Temperance Progress Over the World." Leader, Dr. Stahlman. Preaching at 7:30 o'clock. Sermon, "A Call From the Heights." Strangers and those without a church home are welcomed here. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

St. Mary's Episcopal. Corner Sixth and Lookout. Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "God All in All." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "The Christian Life One of Progress." All are cordially invited. Rev. L. W. Shey, rector.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Morning service at 11. Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Sr. C. E. at 6:45. Rev. Vishanoff will speak of his conversion in Macedonia at the evening service at 7:30. The offering Sunday will be for the college board. All strangers welcome. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

First Christian.

Fallowfield near Sixth. Bible school at 9:45. Lord's supper and preaching at 11. Subject, "Praise." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Subject, "Temperance." Leader, Charles Clerihue. Evening worship at 7:30. Subject, "Why I am a Member of the Christian Church." This sermon is introductory to our evangelistic meeting beginning November 17. This is the people's church. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

Biggest Ever Built.

It is claimed for the tabernacle erected at McKeesport for the evangelistic meetings conducted by Rev. Billy Sunday that it is the largest ever used in any of his meetings and the largest temporary building for religious purposes ever erected in the world.

Notice.

All who desire to again join the Charleroi Book Club will notify Mrs. E. C. Niver, 414 Washington avenue, Charleroi. 89-43p

Shoes that sell elsewhere for \$2.50, and \$3.00, our price \$1.95, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

Childrens 65c Shoes, special 39c, Sample Shoe Store. 92-41

Valley Boy Grant Athlete.

Levi Lamb, of California the great Penn State athlete, formerly a member of the Monessen A. A. has joined the Pittsburg Athletic Association.

The Human Enigma.

His Daughter—Papa, did you know Her Father—Just between you and me, my dear, I don't know her yet.

Her Role.

He—They say Miss Lulu is very much in request for dinner parties She—So I have heard. She is a regular dinner belle.

Report of the Condition of the Bank of Charleroi, of Charleroi, Co. of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business Nov. 30, 1912.

RESOURCES.

Reserve Fund:	
Cash, specie and notes \$ 86,062 80	
Due from approved reserve agents.....	111,582 71
Notes, and Coins.....	317,815 51
Checks and cash items.....	218 95
Securities pledged for Special deposits.....	4,219 95
Assets held fire-insurance.....	9,200 00
Assets discounted upon one name.....	220,753 87
Bills discounted upon two or more names.....	356,478 58
Time loans with collateral.....	606,276 90
Loans on call with collateral.....	20,696 06
Loans on call upon one name.....	141,765 82
Loans on call upon two or more names.....	22,877 75
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages.....	208,047 02
Bonds, Stocks, etc., Schedule D.....	105,683 17
Mortgages and judgments of record, Schedule D.....	218,798 51
Office building and lot.....	35,000 00
Other real estate.....	28,032 27
Overdrafts.....	173 76
Total.....	\$1,768,183 83

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....	75,000 00
Surplus fund.....	280,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	22,201 34
Individual deposits subject to check.....	889,651 94
Time certificates of deposit.....	225,092 16
Saving Fund.....	677,689 44
Deposits, Commencement of Pennsylvania.....	20,000 00
Deposits, U. S. Postal Savings.....	712 91
Deposits, Municipal.....	141,516 04
Certified Checks.....	760 34
Cashier's Checks outstanding.....	1,600 00
Due to Banks and Trusts.....	1,429,976 49
Dividends unpaid.....	4,444 00
Total.....	\$1,768,183 83

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, ss:
I, K. E. KEEFUT W. DALY, Cashier of the above named Company do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Nov. 1912.

MINNIE B. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 1, 1913.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
T. L. DALY, F. THOMPSON, J. E. GRANT, Directors.

Notice.

My wife, Elizabeth D. Pile, having left my bed and board without any just cause, notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

86-46p John Pile.

Classified Ads.

FOR RENT—Two five room flats on McKean avenue. Address 231 McKean avenue. 91-43

FOR RENT—House on McKean avenue near Second street. Five rooms with bath. Inquire of Dr. Lida Grant, 461 Main Street, Monongahela, Pa. 84-4f

WANTED—Good pastry cook, Casino Restaurant. 92-43p

WANTED—Girl for office work. Make application in own handwriting and leave at Mail office. 87-4f

WANTED—To exchange a 32-40 Marlin repeating rifle for a shot gun. Address, Marlin, Mail office. 91-43

WANTED—Young lady who understand shorthand and typewriting. Must be good writer. Good salary to right party. Apply at once to People's Store, 536 Fallowfield avenue 92-4f

WANTED—A lady to solicit orders for Butterine, Butter and Eggs in Charleroi and Monessen. Address W. H. Zimmerman, Elizabeth, Pa., R. F. D. 3. Bell Phone, 174-22, Monongahela. 93-41p

WANTED—Good man to conduct a general insurance business in Charleroi. If you can write insurance here is your chance to make \$25.00 per week or more. Address A. J. Johnson, manager, Franklin, Pa. 93-41

WOMEN—If you want work, sell guaranteed hosiery to wearers; big commission; make \$10 daily; experience unnecessary. Address International Mills, 3038 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, Pa. 45-S-4f

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